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Attorney Docket No. 47382.000122

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FORM FOR FILING CONTINUING APPLICATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

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Anticipated Classification Of This Application:  
Class Subclass

Prior Application: 09/634,659  
Examiner: to be assigned  
Art Unit: 3661

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of prior Application Serial No. 09/634,659, filed August 8, 2000, which is a continuation of prior Application Serial No. 09/474,131, filed December 29, 1999, which claims benefit of Provisional Application Serial No. 60/114,554, filed December 31, 1998 and Provisional Application Serial No. 60/114,568, filed December 31, 1998 entitled **DATA PROCESSING AND VALIDATION** by the following named inventors: Craig S. Rendahl, Kelley Bogart & Jason Webster

1. ☒ Enclosed is a true copy of the prior complete application as originally filed, including the oath or declaration. No amendments referred to in the oath or declaration filed to complete the prior application introduced new matter therein.
2. ☐ Preliminary Amendment and Second Preliminary Amended are enclosed.
3. ☐ Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. At least one original independent claim is retained to complete the prior application introduced new matter therein.
4. ☒ The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as mentioned at 1, 2 and 3 above.

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS	34	14	x \$18.00 =	\$252.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	1	x \$20.00 =	\$80.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			x \$260.00 =	
BASIC FEE				\$710.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS=				+\$ 1,042.00
REDUCTION BY 1/2 FOR FILING BY SMALL ENTITY (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). IF APPLICABLE, VERIFIED STATEMENT MUST BE ATTACHED.				
TOTAL =				\$ 1,042.00

5. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and § 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.
6. ☒ A check in the amount of \$1,042.00 is enclosed
7. ☒ Amend the specification by replacing the first sentence with: -- This application is a continuation of Application Serial No. 09/634,659, filed August 8, 2000, which is a continuation of prior Application Serial No. 09/474,131, filed December 29, 1999, which claims benefit of Provisional Application Serial No. 60/114,554, filed December 31, 1998 and Provisional Application Serial No. 60/114,568, filed December 31, 1998 --
8. ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27

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- The undersigned further declares that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the applications or any patent issuing thereon.

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